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61 Quebec Street, Building 683

ACS Hours of Operation

0730-1600 Monday -Friday

<https://www.devens.army.mil>

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978-796-3023/ 3119 DSN 256-3023/ 3119

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1-800-342-9647 Available 24/7/365

www.MilitaryOneSource.mil

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ACS DIRECTOR

Fort Devens Safety Message: *Safety Tips to Avoid a Slip or Fall*

in Ice and Snow: While walking on footpaths and in public places, or entering and exiting your car or truck, DO NOT underestimate the dangers of snow and ice. Each winter slips and fall accidents cause serious injuries. Even when surfaces do not look especially icy or slippery, it is very possible that a thin sheet of transparent ice or “Black Ice” is covering your pathway putting you at risk. When you approach a footpath or roadway that appears to be covered with ice or snow, always use extreme caution.



At Work

- ◆ Many slips and falls happen in places people regard as safe and secure, typically outside their front door, on the door step, on the path or while getting out of the car.
- ◆ If you are out walking in snow or icy conditions wear appropriate footwear, don't walk with your hands in your pockets, walk with your hands out and wear gloves so you can break your fall if you do slip.
- ◆ It's not a good idea to go jogging in such conditions. It is surprising how many people pick up injuries, each year, after falling while out jogging.

Top 10 Safety Tips for Pedestrians

- ◆ If a journey cannot be avoided walk on a footpath, not in the street. If there are no footpaths walk on the right hand side of the road (towards oncoming traffic). Be extremely careful as frost, ice and snow will make walking on footpaths very dangerous.
- ◆ Remember that footpaths may not be treated so walk with extreme care, make sure you are wearing appropriate footwear and in extreme conditions.
- ◆ Avoid walking in the streets at all costs if possible. Remember, cars and trucks slip and slide, too! If it's an emergency, and you can't avoid the street, wear bright or reflective clothing.
- ◆ Visibility is reduced in snowy condition so wear high visibility clothing.
- ◆ Wear clothing that does not restrict your vision. This type of clothing could prevent you from spotting icy conditions that may lead to a fall or not enable you to see a car that is spinning out of control.
- ◆ Snow and ice cause havoc quickly, so use extra caution when crossing roadways, and always cross at pedestrian crossings.



- ◆ Ice can easily hide under a light dusting of snow. Just because you don't see the ice doesn't mean it's not there waiting for your unsuspecting footfalls.
- ◆ If you can't avoid the ice and snow, bend your knees slightly and take slower, shorter steps to help reduce the chance of a slip and fall and an injury.
- ◆ If forced to use the steps at someone's home, apartment, or other public building, walk slow and take shorter steps when descending. The same is true of driveways and other hilly terrain; these areas can be very dangerous when they become slippery with ice or snow.

- ◆ Be aware of overhead hazards! Falling icicles and chunks of snow pose a serious risk. In extreme cold weather icicles can build up in size very quickly and are lethal. Be aware of what's happening above you, and stay clear from the edges of buildings. *Watch where you step. While snow and ice can be beautiful, it is extremely slippery.*

Sexual Harrassment and Response Program:

IMPORTANT: ***Please note the new Sexual Harassment and Response Program Coordinator (SHARP) Natick telephone number is. **NSSC SHARP hotline - 508-395-9141*****

FINANCIAL

Are Your Finances Fit or Flabby? [Moneywise Newsletter](#) on Jan 29, 2015 4:16:00 PM

We all know that staying physically active and eating healthfully can do a body good. But have you ever thought about the fitness of your finances? Your approach to money management needs regular checkups, too. You might discover that you need to trim some fat from the budget, bulk up on savings or work with a financial coach to reach your goals.

Ready to flex those muscles? Whether you're looking for minor suggestions or a major overhaul of your approach to money management, meeting with a financial counselor can help.

To help determine the fitness of your finances, take this test. Give yourself one point for each yes answer.

1. Do you have a budget and stick to it?
2. Do you have enough money to comfortably pay your bills each month?
3. Do you review your credit reports at least once a year, including your credit score?
4. Do you have a retirement account?
5. Do you have an emergency fund (enough money set aside to cover at least three months of expenses) – and contribute to it regularly?
6. Have you identified your short- and long-term financial goals?
7. Do you know your current net worth?
8. Can you locate your important financial documents, including bills, tax returns and statements?
9. Do you increase the amount you save when your income increases?
10. Do you avoid buying on impulse and purchasing items you don't need with your credit card?

Scoring: **8-10:** Financially fit! Congratulations – you pass the fiscal fitness test. Keep contributing to savings and working on paying down debt.

5-7: Soft around the edges. You're on the right track to financial fitness – but your training plan could use a boost. Perhaps it's time to build your savings or review your financial goals.

0-4: Time for a serious workout. Focus on building the fundamentals of good financial fitness – a sound budget, appropriate savings accounts and/ or a debt-repayment strategy. You might benefit from the assistance of a financial coach to get on the right track to better financial fitness.

No matter how you score, we can help you keep your finances in top shape. Turn to us for a free credit score evaluation. We'll give you your credit score and help you understand your credit report.



Register Today at
www.mass.gov/treasury/operationmoneywise



SATURDAY MARCH 21, 2015
MASSBAY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
50 OAKLAND STREET, WELLESLEY

This is a **FREE** one-day personal finance event for
servicemembers, veterans and their families.

Class Topics:

Healthcare
Money & Disability
Home Buying
Basics of Investing
Money Mentors

Dealing with Debt
Budget & Goal Setting
Retirement
Higher Education
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Questions? Contact Sheila O'Loughlin
at (617)367-9333 x 615 or fltf@tre.state.ma.us



DON'T FORGET: Daylight Savings
Time: Sunday, 8 March 2015 Set
your clocks one hour forward.

FIRST DAY OF SPRING: Friday,
20 March 2015



SOLDIER AND FAMILY

Free Retreat: Military Families with Special Needs FREE Weekend Retreat

WHEN: 17—19 APR WHERE: Grotonwood Camp & Conference Center, Groton MA

Over 100,000 military families have members with special needs. The retreat will focus on spouses, children, or dependent parents who require special medical and/or educational services.

This is a great opportunity to unwind and relax. Each family gets their own room/cabin and the best part is the cooking is done for you! It will be a time for children to connect with other children with fun activities awhile Mom and Dad's attending workshops and holis-tic services. Enjoy this quiet environment to disengage with regular life, re-engage with family, newly engage with other military families with special needs to create unforgettable memories.

This event is being offered FREE of charge through Project New Hope. Register today by calling Project New Hope at 774-243-9245.

FREE Smoke Alarms from the American Red Cross: Every 3 1/2 hours, someone dies in a house fire. There is a new American Red Cross campaign that aims to reduce fa-talities caused by a house fire by 25% in five years.

Why do smoke alarms matter?

☐ 37% of all house fires in homes without smoke alarms result in fatalities. Where smoke alarms are installed but not working, an additional 23% result in a fatality.

☐ In homes with smoke alarms, these numbers go down to 4% and 19% respectively.

Through this new campaign, the Red Cross will provide a free fire detector for installation in homes, and even do the installation upon request. This offer is extended to military families living on base housing, to include the alarm installation, if requested.

If you are interested, please contact Erin Creighton at erin.creighton@ang.af.mil to get connected with your local Program Manager overseeing the campaign in your area.

Wachusett Mountain Home Base Adventure Series—FREE Skiing

WHEN: Sunday 15 MAR

WHERE: Wachusett Mountain, Princeton MA

As part of the Winter 2015 Adventure Series, the Red Sox Foundation and Massachusetts General Hospital Home Base Program announces a day of skiing and snowboarding at Wachusett Mountain in

Princeton, Massachusetts on Sunday, March 15, 2015 at 7:30am. Join us for FREE lift tickets, rentals, and lessons. All veterans, service members and their families are welcome.

Please note: Space is limited; due to increased demand for Adventure Series Events please register for the ticket lottery. Participants will be notified of their registration status on March 4th, 2015.

This is a great opportunity from the Homebase Adventure Series for skiing at Mount Wachusett! Tons of great snow there!!! Space is limited – contact Homebase for details and to register.

Please contact Kelsey Lally, kelally@mgh.harvard.edu, with any questions.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION for Soldiers or spouses might benefit. **The following candidates may apply to become a Tillman Scholar: Apply on line by 3 March 2015**

- Veteran and active-duty military service members
 - Honorably discharged of pre-and post-9/11 service
 - From all branches of the U.S. Military including National Guard and Reserve
- Current spouses of veterans or active-duty service members, including surviving spouses
- Service members or spouses pursuing a degree as a full-time* student:
 - Undergraduate (Bachelor's or above)
 - Graduate or post-graduate degree
 - At a public or private, U.S.-based accredited institution

<http://pattillmanfoundation.org/apply-to-be-a-scholar/>

Career Step and Army Wife Network have joined forces to support and strengthen the military community. In an effort to help military spouses find the resources they need, Career Step has partnered with Army Wife Network to present a military spouse scholarship program to provide the financial jump start a spouse may need to gain the education needed to improve their life. Career Step's Army Wife Network scholarship offers one deserving military spouse \$2,000 that can be used for higher education at the institute of their choice. Current spouses of service members who are active duty or veterans of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard or National Guard are welcome to apply. There is no age requirement, but the student must be planning to start school in 2015 or 2016 if they are not already enrolled. To apply candidate must submit an 800-1000 word essay and/or video on how you plan to use your education to benefit your family and/or community. Competitive candidates will cite specific experiences that encouraged them to continue their education or specific situations where they can apply their skills. The essay should be submitted through the application form and the video should be submitted as a YouTube link. The application period opened February 6, 2015. The deadline for the 2015 application and essay submission is April 24, 2015.

For more information please visit: <http://www.careerstep.com/awn>

HANSCOM AIRMAN AND FAMILY READINESS CENTER

March 2015

Please Call 781-225-2765 to Register

SOMEONE TO TALK TO when you need it: **Military Family Life Counselors (MFLC)** provide free, short-term, non-medical, solution-oriented counseling on a range of issues. For service members and their families – no records are kept. Call (781) 879-7654 and leave your first name only for an appointment!

Employee Assistance Program (EAP) provides a confidential, free counseling service on a wide range of personal & work concerns for DoD civilian, NAF & DECA employees as well as their family members. The EAP offers Financial & Legal services as well. Contact Ina Bachman, LICSW, CEAP at 1-800-222-0364 for an appointment & check out the website www.FOH4you.com . ** On site every Monday!!

VA BENEFITS ADVISORS *are available*. Please contact them at 781-225-2624/2625 or 508-847-9985. Located in Bldg 1217.

VETERANS AFFAIRS DISABILITY CLAIMS REVIEW

Fridays (By Appointment Only) A representative from AMVETS, a veterans' service organization, will assist you in processing your disability claim and answer questions. **Appointment is required.**

Call the AMVETS Service Representative at 617-980-8400.

SCHOOL LIAISON PROGRAM is available to coordinate and assist military and DoD civilian parents with school-age children with educational opportunities and information necessary to succeed in an academic environment. Call 781-225-2765 for assistance/information.

**** EVERY TUESDAY! INDIVIDUAL TRANSITION PLAN CHECKLIST -- CAPSTONE**

VERIFICATION All AF service members who completed Pre-separation counseling and TAP/GPS are required to complete DD Form 2958, Service Member's Individual Transition Plan Checklist (referred to as "Capstone"), prior to separation/retirement. This is a mandatory requirement for out-processing. Appointments are available every Tuesday, from 1:00 – 2:30 pm. Call 781-225-2765 to schedule an appointment with an A&FRC Consultant.

****PRIVATE SECTOR & FEDERAL RESUME CRITIQUE** By "in person" appointment only
Resumes are reviewed by an employment specialist with HR experience - get feedback to improve your format and content. Email your resume to 66.fss.fsfr.cmb@us.af.mil & receive a response within 7 business days. Prior attendance at A&FRC or TAP

ELDERCARE Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday, March 2, 3 & 4; 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Community Support Center, Bldg 1217: Explore your role as an adult child of an aging parent and examine the critical issues facing your parent. One of our most informative and highly rated annual workshops! Presented by Lucille Jerome, former Director of Social Services at D'Youville Senior Care Center.

INDIVIDUAL TRANSITION PLAN CHECKLIST -- CAPSTONE Tuesdays, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31; 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ** Call 781-225-2765 to schedule an appointment All AF service members who completed Preseparation counseling and TAP/GPS are required to complete DD Form 2958, prior to separation/retirement.

PRESEPARATION COUNSELING Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 18, 25; 9:00 — 11:00 a.m.

Weekly sessions for separating & retiring service members to complete the mandatory DD Form 2648,

Pre-separation Counseling. This counseling MUST be provided at least 90 days prior to date of separation or retirement, and is a pre-requisite for attending the Transition-GPS Workshop.

LINKEDIN: THE NEW PATH TO EMPLOYMENT: Wednesday, March 4; 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Join Susan Joyce, a renowned social media author, publisher, President of Job-Hun.org and WorkCoachCafe.com and MIT Sloan School of Management Visiting Scholar, as she explains how to safely use social media to develop an online presence to get a job. This class includes hands-on demonstrations.

BRANDING YOURSELF – EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION SKILLS :Thursday, March 5;

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Employers brand themselves and increasingly utilize the web to gain information about potential job candidates. Learn similar tactics to create your personal brand and develop an effective communication strategy using written, verbal and virtual methods. We'll focus on your online image through LinkedIn and how to craft a strong professional social image.

RESUME WRITING FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR: Thursday, March 5; 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

This basic resume writing course discusses how to write and format an effective resume and cover letter. Taught by a former HR professional with 8 years of staffing experience.

PREDEPLOYMENT BRIEFING: Every Friday, March 6, 13, 20, 27; 2:00 —3:00 p.m.

Mandatory for personnel tasked with a TDY/Deployment of 30 days or longer. Spouses are highly encouraged to attend. Briefings are held every Friday at the A&FRC. Please call to register.

***NOTE: All classes are subject to change. Please call to register and confirm date and time.**

THE SANDWICH GENERATION: Monday, March 9; 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.: One out of every 8 Americans aged 40 to 60 is both raising a child & caring for a parent. Learn what you need to know & plan for as we explore the dynamics of aging, family relationships, emotional issues & the complexity that the military lifestyle adds to this “sandwich generation.”

LIFE IN BALANCE: RELAXATION & STRESS RELIEF: Tuesday, March 10; 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Strategies to understand and achieve improved work/life balance.

CAREGIVER PEER TO PEER SUPPORT: Tuesday, March 10; 1:00 — 3:00 p.m. Community Support Center, Bldg 1217 The Caregiver Peer to Peer Support Initiative wants to hear from you to: learn of the issues impacting you day-to-day; hear what your needs are; connect you with other military caregivers.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY—'LUNCH & LEARN': Wednesday, March 11; 12:00 — 12:45 p.m. Make Investment Property Ownership work for you!! Turn investment real estate into a cash cow. Crunch the numbers and get tips on what to look for. Whether you are looking for a vacation home, multi-family, mixed use rental or commercial real estate, patience is the key. Presented by the Hanscom Federal Credit Union. Free lunch is provided.

TRANSITION —GPS WORKSHOP Monday - Friday, March 16-20; 7:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m. Airman & Family Readiness Center · *All military attendees must have completed DD Form 2648/1 (Preseparation Counseling) prior to the workshop.* Mandatory for all service members. Spouses welcome. Assists voluntarily & involuntarily separating & retiring service members with career & life

transition. All military attendees must be enrolled in eBenefits.va.gov prior to the workshop. Please bring your own laptop. Pre-Registration is required.

HEARTS APART - "POLAR PLUNGE" Wednesday, March 18; 4:00— 6:00p.m. Base Pool

Families of deployed, remote tour & extended TDY service members are invited to join us at the base pool for food & fun. The A&FRC will cover the costs for those families who do not have a pool membership & have children who are 5 years of age & up. Please let us know if you have a membership. Please RSVP with the total number of individuals attending by Friday, March 13 to 781-225-2765 or e-mail shon.teicheira@us.af.mil

E-SMOOTH MOVE SEMINAR: Thursday, March 19; 11:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. Learn how to navigate the new internet based resources designed for PCS moves, and where to get answers to your questions about your upcoming move. Informational handouts will be provided. Spouses encouraged to attend! Bring your lunch.

MOVING WITH CHILDREN: Thursday, March 19; 12:15 — 1:00 p.m. Parents! Please join us for this special presentation immediately following the E-Smooth Move Seminar. We'll discuss tips and techniques to help make moving and adjustment to a new school easier for your children whether it's their first move or their fifteenth.

INSTALLATION COMMANDER'S WELCOME: Monday, March 23; 8:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Airman & Family Readiness Center: Attention new military personnel and DoD Civilians! Your official introduction to Hanscom AFB features essential base and local community information for new arrivals. Spouses and other service personnel at HAFB encouraged to attend! Medical Squadron Welcome follows at 11:45 for Clinic beneficiaries. **First Term Officer's Financial Briefing from 2:00 pm – 3:30 at A&FRC.**

BUNDLES FOR BABIES: Tuesday, March 24; 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. If you're in your 2nd or 3rd trimester, join us to learn about caring for your newborn, budgeting for baby, TRICARE coverage, dental care, base and community services, SIDS, breastfeeding, car seat safety, Baby-Makes-Three and much much more. Sponsored by the Air Force Aid Society and open to military members from all branches of service. Dads are strongly encouraged to attend.

"T" PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION & CITY ORIENTATION: Friday, March 27; 9:00 a.m.— 4:00 p.m. How to navigate the local public transportation system and obtain information on events and attractions. Ride into Boston with us using the "T". All you need is \$5.30 per person for fares (Children 11 & under free with paying adult). Bring lunch or purchase in town. Part of the official base newcomer orientation. (military service members do not have to take leave to attend).

COPING WITH TRANSITIONS: Tuesday, March 31; 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. This presentation addresses the inevitable: change, and focuses on a variety of coping mechanisms that can help you create a smooth transition and deal more successfully with change. Presented by Hanscom's Military Family Life Counselor.

Family Advocacy Outreach

CELL PHONE COLLECTION: The Family Advocacy Program collects used and old cell phones, and distributes them to local domestic violence agencies. Drop off phones, batteries, and chargers to the Family Advocacy Program, Bldg 1217. Please put each phone and its accessories in a sealed, plastic bag.

WIC, a nutrition and education program for income-eligible expectant parents or parents with children age birth to five is located on base. * **WIC is located in Bldg 1507** *. **WIC is on base the first and third Wednesday** of each month from 0800 to 1530. For WIC appointments or information, call (617) 312-9974.

First Connections- Is a non-profit, family support organization that provides comprehensive services to families with young children birth through age five. First Connections serves a large geographic area that encompasses twelve metro-west communities, including Hanscom Air Force Base. All programs are free or low cost. More information is available on their website www.firstconnections.org or by calling 781-287-0221.

EMPLOYMENT READINESS

From Army Times on Web: Please see links below. Make sure you copy and paste the whole address. <http://www.armytimes.com/interactive/article/20141019/JOBS02/310190027/These-federal-contractors-hiring-vets-now>

Also: <http://www.armytimes.com/article/20141019/JOBS/310190026/Overseas-federal-contractor-jobs-common-industry>

This new eBenefits feature incorporates numerous tools and resources for job seekers, as well as employers who want high quality applicants. Veterans, service members and their spouses or dependents, who are looking for work, transitioning out of the military or changing careers are encouraged to utilize the Veterans Employment Center. Users can access the Skills Translator function to translate military terms to civilian skills or just go right to the Resume Builder tool. Resumes created on the site will be available to private and public sector employers who specifically want to hire veterans. Veterans Employment Center is found at <http://www.ebenefits.va.gov>. eBenefits Fact Sheet http://www.nvti.ucdenver.edu/home/buzz_xtra/eBenefits_factsheet.pdf
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Student Veteran, and Government Federal Employee Federal Resumes
From Current Titles and CD-ROMs by Kathryn Troutman*



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Free Vocational Training for Veterans: The Veterans Training School (VTS) is recruiting unemployed and under-employed Veterans for the following vocational free vocational programs: Apply today! Email Andrew Moyseowicz or call 617-371—1810. Find more online at www.nechv.org

Career Opportunities: An update that we now have a “Career Opportunities” link on our website which will have all the information regarding our current job opening, description, and how to apply...
<http://www.veteransinc.org/about-us/career-opportunities/>

Labor Ready : Provides temp jobs to those interested in gaining work experience, want some extra cash, or need immediate income when between jobs or need seasonal work. Flexible work hours; get paid the same day. Over 600 locations throughout the United States.
<http://www.laborready.com/Temporary-Employment>

The above information is provided as a community service. No endorsement of events, products or services by the DoD is implied or intended. For more information, contact the company directly.

Free Resume Help for Military Members : The below website is where Service Members can get free resume writing help and the course schedule. <http://www.networkkri.org/centers.htm>

USA JOB: JOB OPPORTUNITIES ON THE BASE - Remember to go to www.USAJOBS.GOV and search for Newport, RI if you are interested in finding out and applying for positions open onboard the Naval Station. Current opportunities include a Motor Vehicle Operator that's open through next week. Spread the word! USAJOBS - The Federal Government's Official Jobs Site www.USAJOBS.GOV
This is a United States Office of Personnel Management website. USAJOBS is the Federal Government's official one-stop source for Federal jobs and employment information.

Job Search: Below please find a link to critical skills needed at Booz Allen Hamilton. Please share with your contacts and have all interested email me their resumes and I will submit on their behalf – this speeds up the review process. Also, applicants must identify the job skills qualification from the list. <https://erp.bah.com/hotjobs.htm>

Website: Career Resources for Veterans: The Defense Centers of Excellence (DCoE) recently collaborated with PBS to produce a handbook for military families. Created as a companion to the PBS series "This Emotional Life," A Handbook for Family & Friends of Service Members explores

the stressors and feelings individuals may encounter throughout the different phases of deployment. The handbook aims to provide solutions for Service members and identifies outside tools and resources that may be useful to friends and family members before, during and after deployment. Topics include what to expect during deployment and how to strengthen or repair relationships. Order the handbooks from the Real Warriors Campaign website at <http://www.sc.edu/career/Webresources/veterans.html>

<http://www.realwarriors.net/materials/order>

Hanscom AFS: Resources <http://www.hanscom.af.mil>

Massachusetts Career Information System: <http://masscis.intocareers.org/default.asp>

Veterans Employment Services (978) 534-1481 x 117 www.wmoore@detma.org

Orion International: info@orioninternational.com

RELOCATION READINESS

ACS has listings for apartments or houses to rent. List is updated as housing is made available to us. Call 978-796-3023. ACS Electronic Welcome Packets <https://www.devens.army.mil> or call 978-796-3023

Moving and Relocation Information: Terrific tips to make moving easier. <http://afmove.hq.af.mil/Default.asp>

TRICARE Information at Hanscom AFB:

Hanscom AFB offers a monthly Newcomer Orientation Medical Clinic welcome to all new patients every Tuesday from 1300 to 1500. It is strongly recommended that Army personnel attend so they can find out about their provider, how to access emergency services, and referral. Telephone: 781-377-2120

FORT DEVENS SERVICES:

Fort Devens Mail and Distribution: Mail & Distribution Hours are as follows. The Door will be open for box pick up between the following hours. 0730 AM to 1600 PM. Window pick up 0900 AM to 1200 PM 1230 PM to 1430 PM

Education Office: The 99th RSC Education Office is located at 30 Quebec Street, (Building 666) Fort Devens, in Rooms 328, 326, and 324. POC is Lee Achenback at 978-796-2968. Services include educational and career counseling, GI Bill questions and issues, tuition assistance, financial aid and scholarship information as well as test administration and test proctoring.

Police Services Division: Fingerprinting 0930-1030 / 1500-1600 or By Appointment.

Police: 978-796-3333

Physical Security: 978-796-2061

Carlson Wagonlit Travel/Veterans Travel: 800-945-0535 or 402-345-7596

Devens Legal: 978-796-2255

Education Office: 978-796-2331

AAFES / Clothing & Sales: 978-772-6838 / 2065

Photo Section DA Photo: 978-796-2559

Fort Devens ID Cards 978 - 796-2130, Building 683

Billeting: Bldg. 978-796-3201

Distance Learning Center: 978-796-3612 / 2605 / 2626

Transportation: Passenger 978-796-2141/ or 2393 Freight 978-796-2832/ or 2840

Vehicles: 978-796-2141

MASSACHUSETTS RESOURCES: USO New England: <http://www.uso-newengland.org/index.htm>

Massachusetts Parks: www.state.ma.us/dem/forparks.htm

Massachusetts Wildlife: www.state.ma.us/dfwele/dfw

State of Massachusetts Child Care Finder: www.qualitychildcare.org

Massachusetts Getaway Guide: <http://www.mass-vacation.com/>

Massachusetts's area Guides net: <http://massachusetts.ags.myareaguide.com/>

Boston and Local Area Concerts: <http://www.bostonconcerts.com/>